

July Job Postings 2024-2025 Comparison



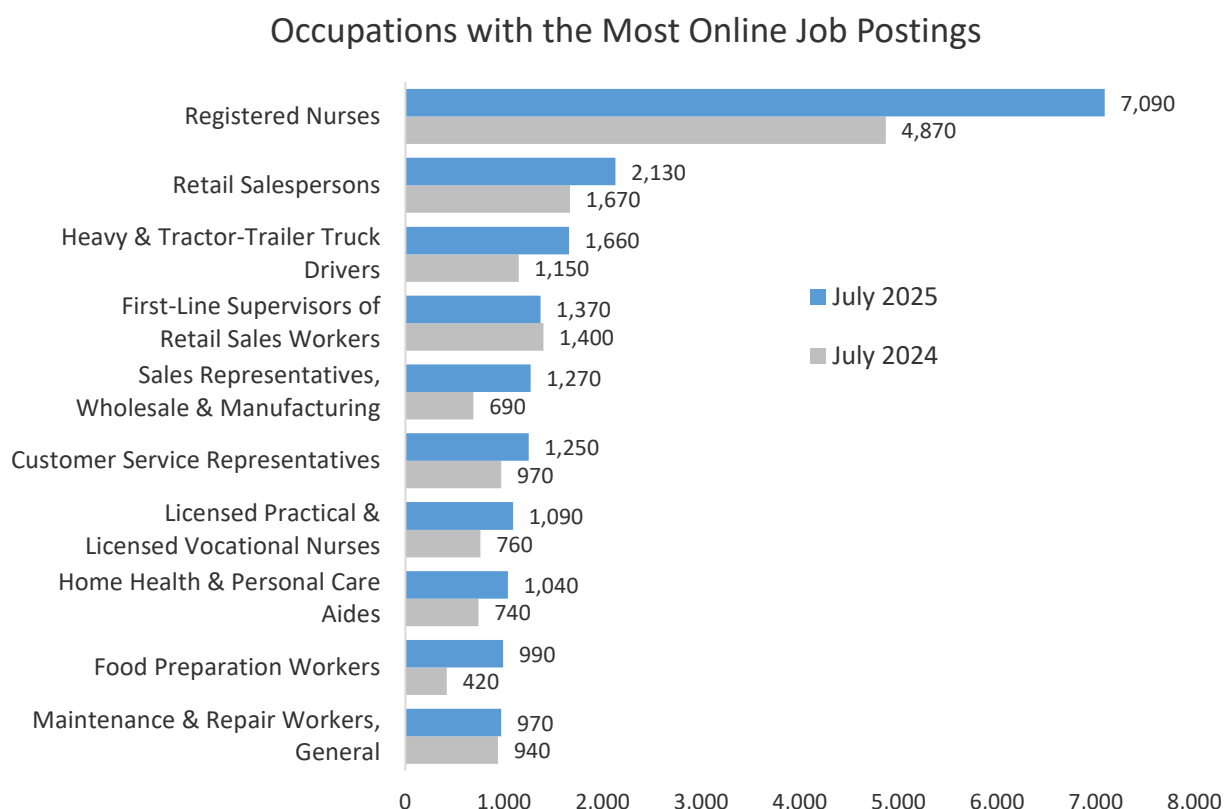
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Job postings increased 29 percent from July 2024 to July 2025. In July 2025, there were 80,450 online job postings compared to 62,410 in July 2024. The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate of 4.1 percent in Missouri in July 2025 was higher than last month's (June 2025) rate of 4.0 and last year's (July 2024) rate of 3.7 percent.

Top Occupations

The following chart shows the top 10 occupations with the most online job postings in July 2025 compared to the number of postings in July 2024. Online job postings for most occupations increased from last year, except for *First-Line Supervisor of Retail Sales Workers*, which decreased 2 percent. *Food Preparation Workers* had the largest increase (136%).



Top Industries

The following chart shows the industries with the most online job postings in July 2025 compared to the number of postings in July 2024. Postings for most industries increased from last year, except for *Educational Services*, which decreased 7 percent. *Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services* had the largest increase (42%).



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